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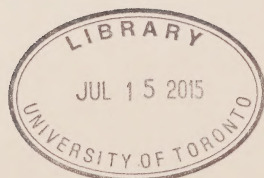


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APPOINTED May 8th, 1964 -

RE-APPOINTED June 22nd, 1965.

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\* Transferred to Conservation Committee, June 22, 1965.

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\*\*\* Appointed June 22, 1965.





To the Honourable the Legislative Assembly  
of the Province of Ontario.

Honourable Members:

It was the intention of the Members of the Select Committee on Youth to present a final and complete report to the Assembly of the Legislature during the present session. Unfortunately, this has not been possible. The essential requirement of locating and soliciting the assistance of hundreds of organizations throughout the province and arranging opportunities for them to consider the terms of reference applicable to them and the subsequent submitting of their deliberations has taken considerable time.

It will be recalled that this Committee submitted a Progress Report in April, 1965. In that report an outline of the early work of the Committee was outlined beginning with its work in June, 1964, with organizational meetings, visitations in Ontario and the United States as well as the hearing of briefs from many organizations throughout the province.

Some of the emerging problems that involved the youth of our province were discussed and the broad outline of this study indicated.

During the year 1965, the Select Committee has worked hard and diligently at the formidable task of visiting many areas in this province to hear briefs from many organizations, individuals and representative youth groups in order to gather important data respecting our terms of reference.

The Committee also made a number of visitations to areas of special competence in certain states in the United States as well as in our own province.

Most of our field work, visitations and reception of briefs, were completed by January of 1966, although it is apparent that further investigation in certain areas would be advisable. There remains, however, the major task of assembling the data in a form that the Members can assess easily and accurately, by our Secretary, Judge William T. Little and his research staff of Mr. George Repar, Research Officer, and Mrs. Anne Dempster, Office Supervisor and Secretary to Judge Little.





Although a number of meetings of the Committee were held prior to the beginning of the present session of the Legislature, it has not been possible for the Members to devote the considerable time required from their Legislative and other duties to study adequately the vast amount of material presently in rough draft form that will be necessary before all its final recommendations can be made to the Legislature.

The Select Committee realizes the urgency of its final report, and in the following pages has outlined its activities and the areas of investigation during the past year. The total number of recommendations dealing with our terms of reference are not available at this time. However, there are certain very important recommendations which the Committee feels should not be delayed until the final report is completed.

The final report will be completed for submission to the Legislature in the opening days of the Centennial Year session (1967). The report will contain the detailed findings, deliberations and recommendations of the Committee on the subject matter of youth as defined in the terms of reference of this study, which are in the areas of health, welfare, recreation, sports, cultural arts, employment opportunities and education. In addition, the special areas of delinquency, professional counselling needs, and physical fitness will be dealt with in depth.

In conclusion, I am glad to report the continued enthusiasm and excellent co-operation of the Members of this Committee, and their untiring efforts to achieve a worthy study of the needs of youth on behalf of this House.

It is with satisfaction and deep appreciation that I thank the many agencies, departments of government and individual persons, who have extended to this Committee their most excellent co-operation and assistance. Without their help this report would not have been possible.

Our Committee was deeply shocked on learning of the passing of one of its Members on June 26th, 1965, Mr. Leo Troy, who represented the Riding of Nipissing, and who had been making such a fine contribution to the work of the Committee. Mr. Troy's wealth of experience in youth work, his patience and understanding, and his keen interest in the work of this Committee was a great inspiration to us all.

C. J. S. Apps,  
Chairman.



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## INTRODUCTION

The purpose of the Select Committee's second Interim Report is to advise the Legislative Assembly regarding the progress and activities of the Committee and its staff during the past year and to submit its first recommendations for consideration.

### Authority

The Honourable John P. Robarts, Prime Minister, moved the following resolution that created this Committee, seconded by Mr. Allan, which was adopted by the Legislative Assembly on May 8th, 1964, and re-appointed June 22nd, 1965:

"Ordered: That a Select Committee of this House be appointed to conduct a comprehensive inquiry into and report upon the special needs of Youth, with particular reference to educational, cultural, recreational, and employment opportunities, as well as the health, welfare and sports facilities now available to Youth, and the steps to be taken to ensure a wider participation by Youth in the life of the community;

To conduct hearings for the purpose of receiving representations from organizations and individuals engaged in Youth activities and to hold meetings to study the experience of others in the Youth field; and to engage the necessary staff to provide study papers and research materials.

And, that the Select Committee shall consist of fourteen members and shall have authority to sit during the interval between sessions and have full power and authority to appoint or employ counsel and secretary and such other personnel as may be deemed advisable and to call for persons, papers and things and to examine witnesses under oath, and the Assembly both command and compel attendance before the said Select Committee of such persons and the production of such papers and things as the Committee may deem necessary for any of its proceedings and deliberations,



for which purpose the Honourable the Speaker may issue his Warrant or Warrants."

LEGISLATURE OF ONTARIO DEBATES  
Friday, May 8, 1964, p. 3037.

The following outline and appendices referred to below will indicate the general field of inquiry, submissions, visitations and hearings undertaken by the Select Committee on Youth during 1964, 1965, and 1966 to date.

COMMITTEE VISITATIONS AND MEETINGS

1964-1966

<u>Visitations</u>	<u>Days</u>	
Ontario*	15	
Outside Ontario**	14	
<u>Meetings</u>		<u>Number of Submissions</u>
Hearings*** - Ontario Cities & Metropolitan Toronto	68	693****
Committee Deliberations - organizational, with consultants, on reports	20	
Total Days.....	117	
Total Submissions.....		693

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\* See Appendix A - Committee Visitations - Ontario

\*\* See Appendix B - Committee Visitations - Outside Ontario

\*\*\* See Appendix C - Submissions in Ontario Cities and  
Metropolitan Toronto

\*\*\*\* This total includes the participating groups in two city  
workshops, St. Catharines (43) and Kitchener-Waterloo (72).





DEFINITIONS:

COMMITTEE: Will refer to the Select Committee of the Legislature on Youth unless otherwise specified.

YOUTH: Will refer to persons of both sexes in Ontario, ages 14 to 24 inclusive.

YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS: Will refer to any group of persons of either sex, programming for, or providing service for persons under age 24 years.

GOVERNMENT AGENCIES: Will refer usually to Departments of Federal, Provincial, or Local Governments responsible, for the administration of community services of special jurisdiction.

COMMUNITY RESOURCES: Will mean those agencies within any given sector of the province either government or private that provide services for youth.

JUVENILE DELINQUENT: Means any child under 16 years of age (in Ontario) who violates any provision of the Criminal Code or of any Dominion or provincial statute, or of any by-law or ordinance of any municipality.

DELINQUENCY: For the purpose of this report, this term will refer to the illegal behaviour of young people under the age of 24.

CO-ORDINATED YOUTH SERVICES: Means correlated effort of existing youth organizations endeavouring to obtain the greatest benefit from their mutual efforts on behalf of the persons each serves, in the most economical manner.

LEADERS: Youth leaders are those persons in charge of organizations of socially acceptable leisure-time activities for young people.

RESEARCH TEAM: Refers to the professional staff employed by the Select Committee who assisted in the selection and implementing of the research design used by the Committee and also conducted correspondence, compiled and processed all evidence submitted by way of assistance to Committee deliberations.



RESEARCH METHOD:

The methods employed in collecting evidence and analysis of data for the report have involved the following:

(1) Hearing of briefs from organizations, both government and private, as well as individuals where their concerns and services to youth are included in the terms of reference of the Select Committee on Youth, including presentations from many young people themselves.

The briefs were both requested of the organizations by the Secretary of the Committee, and, in some cases, requests to be heard before the Select Committee were made by the agencies or organizations themselves.

When briefs were heard in Toronto, the Committee received delegates in a Committee Room of the Parliament Buildings. The delegates usually had a leader who read the entire brief while the Committee members followed the contents carefully from copies supplied each member beforehand. After the reading of the brief, the Committee members discussed with delegates the specifics and implications of the material submitted.

(2) All material presented was verbatim reported, both in Toronto and out-of-town.

(3) All persons and organizations submitting briefs were given copies of the terms of reference and also some basic guide lines to assist them in the formation of their submission.

(4) When hearings were undertaken in other municipalities than Toronto, (usually for one or two days, depending on the size of the community) the Secretary of the Select Committee visited the Mayor of the town or city from four to six weeks in advance of the Select Committee's visitation and discussed the impending visit in detail.

(5) The Mayor was then asked to form a special local Committee usually called the Mayor's Committee on Youth, selected from interested persons known for their capabilities in community service to youth. This local committee on youth was usually constituted as follows:





- (a) General Chairman (with power to add)
- (b) Secretary
- (c) Programme Officer
- (d) Publicity Officer

The local committee was charged with the responsibility of contacting all agencies and organizations in the community dealing with youth, with particular emphasis on youth participation, and soliciting from them the briefs to be submitted to the Select Committee of the Legislature on Youth upon its visit to the community.

This local committee, through its publicity officer, who, more often than not, was connected with some mass media of communication, i.e., newspaper, television or radio, was responsible for the publicity necessary to alert the entire community regarding the Select Committee's visit to their area and the implication regarding such a visit for the community's young people.

The Mayor's Committee made possible the extensive, enthusiastic and thorough planning that preceded the Select Committee hearings (usually held in the Council Chambers of the municipality visited). The final result was without exception, a large number of briefs (averaging 20-25 per day), including some that were not heard because of the time factor involved, but which were presented to the Select Committee and processed by the Committee's research staff in the same manner as those which were heard in the formal hearings.

(6) While visiting the eighteen municipalities outside the City of Toronto, the Committee visited many schools, youth agencies, institutions and recreation projects throughout the province that were also recorded for discussion and reporting purposes.\* Similarly, all international visits were faithfully recorded to give perspective to our local scene.

(7) The selection of the Ontario municipalities to be visited was determined by the Committee identifying the various types of locale that made up this great province. To better understand international border impact on youth and differences that exist interprovincially, such cities as Windsor, Niagara Falls, Cornwall

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\* See Appendix A.



and Ottawa were areas that had to be studied. The different conditions that are faced in northern areas as compared with southern Ontario required that the communities of Port Arthur and Fort William, Timmins, Sudbury, and North Bay be studied carefully in their own context. The municipalities of Brantford, Hamilton, Kingston, Kitchener, London, Oshawa, Peterborough, Sarnia, St. Catharines and Welland rounded out what has been felt to be a representative sectoring of the province's youth centres from which to draw our information.

(8) All briefs have been studied in detail by the Committee and research processed by extracting all relevant suggestions and recommendations. These were then cross-referenced under the terms of reference of the Select Committee. Each recommendation has been documented by as many briefs as were found to be related to the recommendations. This has permitted us to ascertain the volume of recommendations per term of reference and at the same time, determine the number of different recommendations per term of reference.

When a great amount of repetition is observed under certain recommendations, obvious significance is involved and important deductions as a rule result. This will be noted on a number of occasions in this study.

The methods indicated above permit the following brief summary of the design this research has followed. It falls into four phases or operations.

Phase I - The investigation and acquiring of an understanding of youth activities, needs, and problems in Ontario, other provinces of Canada, the Commonwealth and the states of California, Michigan and New Jersey, as well as selected foreign countries.

This phase undertakes to collect and collate the data as reported through briefs submitted to the Select Committee and visits to various areas of acknowledged competence in the youth field.

Phase II - This has involved a research analysis of the entire evidence received by the Select Committee combined with conference study meetings of the Committee and professional staff,





which were held to determine significant findings regarding formulation of certain recommendations to the Provincial Legislature respecting ways and means of meeting the needs of youth so that youth may make their maximum contribution to society as well as to ensure them a wider participation in the life of the community.

Phase III - The undertaking to achieve unanimity of agreement by the Committee as a whole regarding the final recommendations that would be submitted to the Legislature by the Select Committee.

Phase IV - The drafting of the final report for submission to the Provincial Legislature.

#### Line of Study

The objectives of the Committee have been to enquire into each term of reference as completely as possible in an endeavour to ascertain the true needs of youth at this time. This has necessitated that the Committee become familiar, not only with the conditions existing in Ontario, but also, with national and international developments.

It has been imperative to obtain the thinking of the age group under study and the opinions of those experienced in the handling of this group. This was really an endeavour to procure an accurate profile of youth in this province.

The Chairman's opening remarks have clarified the position of the Committee respecting the reasons for not submitting a final report at this time. Therefore, final recommendations under the total terms of reference will not be available in this report, other than those recommendations referred to by the Chairman.



A PROVINCIAL DEPARTMENT OF YOUTH

The Select Committee has visited many parts of Ontario and heard a large number of briefs that have expressed many needs of youth.

One of the most consistent recommendations that has emerged from these hearings has been the need for a form of youth authority at the level of the Provincial Government.

As early as April, 1965, this Committee indicated in its Progress Report to the Ontario Legislature that an emerging problem of youth, as discerned from many submissions throughout the province, was the need for a provincial authority to act responsibly on behalf of youth.\*

During the past year additional submissions have been heard and studied, which have confirmed this earlier identified need for a provincial body to give assistance and leadership in solving youth problems.

Although such provincial authorities as a youth commission or a youth foundation have been suggested, more frequently the need for a Department of Government devoted to the many needs of youth has been voiced and documented. The breakdown in respect to preferred types of authority requested was as follows:

Commission (attached to an existing Department)	6
Foundation (attached to an existing Department)	6
Provincial Department of Youth	25

Some of the points of view submitted by youth agencies from various parts of the province, in the form of excerpts from briefs heard by the Committee are as follows:

From the Hospital for Sick Children's brief:

"One of the most conspicuous needs is the co-operation and integration of services provided for our children and youth. Health problems cannot be dealt with adequately if social problems are neglected. Educational problems may not be effectively solved if a health problem is also present. The established system of individual departments dealing only with their specific problem gives rise to piece-meal solutions, which may be quite inadequate to meet the total needs of the individual.

"Some Department of Government should be responsible for the total well being of the child. This agency should receive all requests for assistance and be charged with the responsibility of finding a suitable solution, either through governmental or private auspices. The task has become too complex for individual physicians, social workers, or teachers, to seek out and gain the help of the various agencies and services which are available."

(P. 2 Brief).

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\* Progress Report - Select Committee on Youth, 1965, P. 11.



"A Department of Youth might be the repository for all the requests for help and assistance and they, knowing how government works, and the social department, and so on, would solicit these people. They might also be conversant with all the private agencies in the community. They would be a group, responsible for the child, not for his health, welfare, or his education, but the child as an entity." (P. 11 of their Brief).

From the Burlington Youth Committee's brief come the following recommendations:

"A Department of Youth be established immediately, to be characterized by:

1. Regional youth secretaries to have liaison with the Department of Youth;
2. Local committees made up of agencies administering to youth to act in advisory capacity;
3. Liaison through Committee with municipal or county government.

"Some specific functions of the Youth Department to include:

- (a) counselling services in the following general field: vocations, mental health services, marriage counselling, legal advice for referral, medical information and others.
- (b) contract with universities and agencies to conduct research-demonstration." (P. 6 of their Brief).

The Toronto Board of Education's Child Adjustment Services indicated the following:

"A new dynamic is needed in the concept of health and welfare services, which unfortunately have tended to become static. The services must think of going to where the needs are, rather than anxiously waiting for the needs to come to the services.... A permanent body - such as a government department or commission - is needed at the provincial level, with the function of promoting the overall welfare of youth.

"One of its functions would hopefully be to co-ordinate the efforts of various government departments with respect to their functions in regard to youth - e.g., Health, Education, Welfare - that to some extent overlap.

"Another function would be to support the training of workers in the field of youth work by contributing to the support of training institutions and of the worker-in-training.

"This provincial body should be authorized to give financial support to action research in programmes for youth, in an effort to discover effective measures contributing to the adjustment of youth and to the development of the potentials of individual youths.

"It should be in a position to give expert advice and continuing financial help to specific projects of local agencies concerned with youth. It should be authorized to undertake demonstration projects in local areas where special need is recognized.

"The provincial body should have an advisory committee of experts with broad experience in various fields of youth work whose duty it would be to advise the provincial body in a written report on every major project under consideration."  
(P. 18 of their Brief).





The Kingsway College of Oshawa indicated the following:

"The establishment of a Department of Youth, headed by a Minister of Youth by the provincial government to co-ordinate the various services, facilities and organizations which try to serve the needs of Ontario's youthful citizens appears to be one of the most constructive and far-reaching steps that a provincial government could take at this time.

"Such a Department could conduct a continuing study into the needs of youth and the facilities and resources available within the province to meet these needs. By perpetuating the work of the Select Committee in depth with a modest secretariat of competent and qualified personnel such a Ministry could provide a most valuable service to the youth of this city and those agents, both public and private, devoted to the up-building of Oshawa youth.

"A Department of Youth could provide research facilities for the examination in depth of current youth problems with a view to determining their causes and possible remedies."

(P. 3 of their Brief).

The John Howard Society of Ontario had this to say in

their brief:

"Your Committee might well consider the desirability and feasibility of setting up a Department of Youth in the provincial government. Such a department would not necessarily be an operating department, but might serve a badly needed function of co-ordination of effort between government departments and also with voluntary agencies.

"Several of the proposals we have made might fall within the scope of such a department for developing and financing rather than the specific departments under whose functions they may be found.

"Fostering the demonstration projects in the field of child and youth services would appear appropriate.

"Research and evaluation of youth programmes would be a valuable function as would be the study of youth attitudes and obtaining of means to release expressions of their views."

(P. 10 of their Brief).

The Children's Aid Society, North Bay, made the following

comment:

"We feel that if all matters pertaining to children and young persons, other than education, were under the auspices of a single authority, either an appropriate existing department or a new department specially created, this would enable better planning for present and future activities and legislation. This would bring together all the experts who now work in different departments and facilitate a truly integrated and co-ordinated development of services to youth and children at the same time making planning and allotment of available funds less involved."

(P. 4 of their Brief).



The following observation came from the Cornwall Citizen's Committee on Youth:

"We have already felt the benefits of our Youth Committee which has brought together the leaders of our various youth services, along with many of our local youth leaders. Ideas have been exchanged and mutual needs discovered. The organization of such committees on a permanent basis in every city and district of the province would be of great benefit to all of us. The provincial government could help by encouraging such groups on a permanent basis through a permanent secretariat on youth at the Legislature." (P. 18 of their Brief).

The United Church of Canada has stated in their brief:

"We recommend the establishment by the province of a permanent Community Youth Department, with such staff and budget as may be required to sponsor research, encourage and co-ordinate projects of youth development, assist in training volunteer youth workers, and administer grants in aid of youth projects." (P. 14 of their Brief).

The Children's Aid Society of Oshawa have further indicated:

"Many of the Provincial Departments of Government have statutory responsibilities to the youth of our province (Welfare Department, Attorney General's Department, Health Department, Education Department, etc.). It is recommended that there be a greater degree of integration of services to youth at the provincial level to the end that youth be better served. This may be possible through the formation of a Youth Department." (P. 5 of their Brief).

The Young Christian Workers, Toronto, requested the following:

".....that the government set up a special "Youth Department" headed by a Minister of Youth." (P. 12 of their Brief).

The International Institute of Metropolitan Toronto recommended:

".....that the Ontario Government amplify a Provincial Youth Authority with, (a) an immigrant branch to deal with special immigrant youth problems, and (b) an advisory committee of community representatives including ethnic groups." (P. 4 of their Brief).

Friends of Canadian-Polish Youth Incorporated, Toronto, recommended:

"The establishment of a permanent Provincial Youth Authority which would provide direction, co-ordination and assistance to various youth organizations in the province." (P. 28 of their Brief).





The Ontario Welfare Council, Toronto, made the following statement:

"The Ontario Welfare Council has endorsed the recommendation of the Social Planning Council of Metropolitan Toronto for the establishment of a Youth Foundation which grew out of their Consultation on Unreached Youth.....

"We support the foundation type organization because we feel on balance that it will be best able to meet the conditions essential to a successful consideration of the problem."  
(P. 10 of their Brief).

The Committee has heard representations to the effect that there be established by legislative action a permanent youth commission to give provincial direction to agencies and organizations administering to the various needs of Ontario youth.

The Canadian Mental Health Association (Ontario Division) recommends:

"That there be established by legislative action an Ontario Youth Commission whose primary responsibility shall be to support and advance the mental, moral, social and physical well being of the youth of Ontario." (P. 30 of their Brief).

#### Discussion:

It has been felt by the Select Committee that a Department of Youth would be in a better position to cope with problems related to total youth than a commission or a foundation attached to an existing government department or other level of government.

There are many areas that affect young people in Ontario that require the full energies of a Youth Department.

The physical fitness of our youth requires energetic promotion and a planned policy that can be implemented throughout the province, for school age and after school age youth. This is not being done on an adequate basis by any existing department of government. Sound physical education programmes in elementary and secondary schools are found in relatively few places in Ontario. Elementary schools are devoid of gymnasiums in most communities and qualified health education teachers are in short supply. In secondary schools physical education is downgraded at the very grade level where emphasis is needed - Grade 13! Here physical education is "optional". With this concept of the



importance of physical fitness it is not surprising to note that -

"Army statistics have revealed the extent of physical and mental disabilities among the Canadian Youth. The Canadian public has been shocked to learn that nearly half the young men examined for induction into the army during the present war have been found to be physically or mentally unfit. Another fact not so well known, but equally significant, is that at small cost and within a short time, close to 50% of those rejected could be rendered capable of at least limited service."\* (Second World War, 1939-45).

There is little evidence to indicate that Canadian youth are in a better physical condition today.

A continuum concept of physical fitness, beginning with upgraded physical education programmes in both elementary and secondary school systems, followed by well organized sports and recreationally oriented physical activities designed for post school youth and adults, is a government responsibility of major importance.

Recreation at the neighbourhood level, is, from the experience of the Committee, the best kind of recreation for most of our province's population. To achieve uniformity and quality of recreational facilities and opportunities for our young people and those who are not so young, requires planning and policy making at the provincial government level. Recreation, as has been mentioned, is related to physical fitness, mental health and the general well being of our citizens. A Department of Youth would be most effective in aiding, promoting and developing this important service as an area of its responsibilities as indicated in the following submission:

"In many municipalities lack of co-ordination has resulted in wasted money and man-hours through overlapping and overlooking. A close relationship between recreation and planning, at the municipal level, should be established and maintained. A co-ordination committee on recreation appears to be worthy of consideration. This group should meet with reasonable regularity to consider all aspects of facilities and programmes related to youth recreation. Municipal, private, commercial, industrial, service, denominational and fraternal organizations should be involved.....

"The many Acts and Bills or legislation related to all areas of recreation, involving many provincial departments and authorities, emphatically indicate the need for co-ordinated cohesion. A separate ministry appears to be a logical solution. The need for a "Minister of Leisure" can be readily visualized when one considers that leisure time will outstrip work time in the very near future."\*\*

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\* Youth and Health, Canadian Youth Commission, Ryerson Press, Toronto, 1946, P. 65.

\*\* Youth and Recreation Subcommittee: Peterborough, P. 8-9.



Frequently gaps in youth services have been noted that are not being considered as responsibilities of existing departments of government, (i.e., the need for half-way houses for youth - pre-delinquents, etc., - preventive delinquency programmes, also widespread need for facilities for emotionally disturbed children and co-ordination of government services for youth). In this connection a Youth Department has a role to play in identifying such gaps in services to youth, and indeed, should be responsible for finding solutions for such needs in collaboration with other government departments.

Many gaps in youth services are caused by the multi-problem nature of many youth difficulties. Health problems cannot always be resolved by a health service if social problems are neglected. Educational problems cannot be corrected if health or mental health problems are present. A delinquent's or pre-delinquent's rehabilitation problem may not be possible of solution without the co-ordination of a welfare type service, a health service and a job employment organization. The established system of government departments dealing only with their specific problems gives rise to partial solutions, which frequently are inadequate to meet the total needs of the individual. A Department of Youth should be responsible for a total approach to youth problems.

Often what is required is co-ordination of the efforts of various government departments charged with specific youth services. Because youth services have grown as the need for them arose, there has been very little continuity planning of youth services for close co-ordination among these services due to their distribution among a number of departments of government which are mutually independent, and whose major responsibilities are not always in the areas of youth. Education, being one of the earliest departments dealing with youth has had many additional services added to its primary responsibilities. To name only a few, we find recreation being placed under this Department, May, 1948, in the form of the Community Programmes Branch. Among other roles this Branch dispenses funds to athletic organizations throughout the province. In 1963, the Ontario Arts Council was also formed under this Department. In 1964 a Youth Branch was established by the Department of Education. Its functions were outlined as follows:





"I may now state that decision has recently been made to establish in the Department of Education a Youth Branch, the specific duty of which will be to work towards the greater co-ordination of Government activities and to ensure greater co-operation between the Government and the various voluntary and private agencies, to ensure that the most efficient use of human and material resources may result."\*

It is interesting to note that an Inter-Departmental Committee on Emotionally Disturbed Children was created, subsequent to the Youth Branch, for the similar purpose of obtaining, in essence, greater co-ordination of government activities and to ensure greater co-operation between the government and the various voluntary and private agencies. In this instance, the emphasis is being placed on the needs of emotionally disturbed children. The membership of this temporary committee consists of representatives of the following government departments:

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| 1. <u>Department of Education</u>                                    | W. K. Clarke, B.A., B. Ed.<br>D. A. MacTavish, M.A., B.Paed.    |
| 2. <u>Department of Health</u>                                       | D. E. Zarfes, M.D., C.M., D.Psych.                              |
| 3. <u>Department of Psychiatry</u>                                   | J. D. Atcheson, M.D., D.Psych.<br>Cyril Greenland               |
| 4. <u>Department of Reform Institutions</u>                          | D. Penfold, M.A., Reg. Psycho.<br>R. E. Stokes, M.D., D. Psych. |
| 5. <u>Department of Public Welfare</u>                               | J. L. Amos, M.A.  |
| 6. <u>Department of Attorney General (Juvenile and Family Court)</u> | His Honour Senior Judge V. Lorne Stewart, M.A.                  |

The purpose of this committee was to explore the area of needs and resources of emotionally disturbed children and report to the government through the Minister of Health on these matters.

The following quotation from the Juvenile and Family Court Judges Association's submission to the Inter-Departmental Committee on Emotionally Disturbed Children makes the following points respecting emotionally disturbed and other needy children:

"The obvious needs for:

1. Preventive work,
2. Early diagnosis,

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\* Luncheon Address, Canadian National Exhibition - Young Canada's Day, by The Honourable William G. Davis, Minister of Education, Toronto, August 19, 1963.



3. A strengthening of the home,
4. The vital role to be played in both detection and treatment by the academic teachers in the early grades,
5. The provision of various types of accommodation from adequate foster homes, group foster homes to special institutions, and
6. Adequate personnel,

- are so apparent to everyone who deals with the unusual child that extensive comment or elaboration is quite unnecessary. A desperate need exists for all these things listed and the critical state at the present time has been brought to the attention of all departments on your Committee time after time.

....The members of our Association are not qualified to comment on the financial and administrative responsibilities of the various levels of government and voluntary agencies.... However, it is quite apparent to anyone dealing with these children, that the present system has been a complete failure."\*

A Department of Youth that has the authority and responsibility to work towards effective co-ordination of government activities pertaining to youth and to actively engage in greater co-operation between government and all agencies, both voluntary and private that deal with young people, would be in a position to establish a continuous communication system between agencies, departments of government, and what is most important, the public at large.

Such communication and action are necessary on a responsible and continuous basis relating to all aspects of "total youth", not just the emotionally disturbed, the delinquent, and the drop-out, etc. This responsibility cannot be left to temporary special committees or branches of government departments, which have little or no executive authority or responsibility to the Legislature in terms of getting much needed things done.

It is notable that the administration of the Community Centres Act, which decides on appropriations to municipalities requesting assistance in the building of swimming pools, arenas, athletic fields and community halls, all basically youth services, comes under the jurisdiction of the Agriculture and Horticultural Societies Branch of the Department of Agriculture.

The Athletic Commission is responsible to the Minister of Labour, while the Physical Fitness grants to various sports and physical fitness organizations are made available through the Community

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\* Submission to the Inter-Departmental Committee on Emotionally Disturbed Children, made on behalf of the Association of Juvenile and Family Court Judges, by the President, Judge H. C. Arrell.





Programmes Branch of the Department of Education. The Departments of Agriculture, Attorney-General, Health, Lands and Forests, Mines, Provincial Secretary and Citizenship, Reform Institutions and Transport, also provide a variety of services to youth in addition to their major departmental responsibilities. Such a diverse distribution of youth services among government departments does not make for a well organized approach to the needs of youth that will ensure them of a wider participation in the life of the community.

It would seem reasonable that a Department of Youth could better assume many of these responsibilities with a resultant improvement in the quality and co-ordination of services pertaining to youth, than are presently possible under the piecemeal administration of many separate departments. For example, a Department of Youth would be admirably suited to promote amateur sports throughout the province through financial assistance in the form of grants, extension of leadership training, and promoting of increased numbers of training facilities on a regional basis.

It would seem appropriate for such a department to provide much needed stimulation and financial assistance to the cultural arts, which are urgently required in all areas noted by the Committee during visitations.

An important youth need observed throughout the province has been for the development of community-sponsored youth councils or local co-ordinating committees of youth-serving agencies and to establish provincial liaison with such councils through a Department of Youth, which could provide financial and advisory assistance where youth needs have been established.

At the grass roots level there is a need for the promotion of youth participation in community service projects under the guidance of local community-sponsored youth agency councils, (i.e., voluntary service to hospitals, by expansion of the "candy stripers", involvement in programmes for the homes for the aged, and youth corps type projects).

In the local areas there is needed an informed general public, especially high school students, regarding career opportunities in the various fields of youth services. It is believed a government



department could be of assistance in an advisory capacity to community youth councils and in the accumulation of essential youth data as an information service to agencies and the public.

Research in many areas pertaining to youth, such as the ascertaining of manpower needs of youth-serving agencies in specific geographical areas, is urgently needed, and such projects should be assisted financially by a Department of Youth. A Department of Youth should act in an advisory capacity to existing government departments when they are researching areas affecting youth.

There is a great need to stimulate professional associations of youth workers by direct financial aid - e.g., research grants, programme development grants, demonstration projects -- to accelerate the development of new research strategies and knowledge in the fields of health, education, youth employment, welfare and recreation, as they pertain to youth services. It is felt by the Committee that a Department of Youth could give much needed impetus to the implementation of such programmes.

Ontario would not be the first province in Canada to institute a Department of Youth. Alberta instituted a special Ministry of Youth in February of 1966. The Premier, The Honourable E. C. Manning, has indicated the purposes of the Department as follows:

"....to encourage constructive youth activities and stimulate interest in youth training for leadership in social, cultural, recreational, business and public affairs.

"The department will assist in the development of a constructive sports and physical fitness programme providing aid to those who prove they have potential to compete in provincial, national or international championship meets and, in general, to give leadership in all forms of constructive sports and recreation and in the profitable use of leisure time.

"Here in Alberta, over half of our population is comprised of citizens 25 years of age and under, and we feel it is important to establish the new ministry as the strength of society depends on the extent to which our youth develop their vast constructive potentials."\*

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\* Contained in a letter to The Select Committee on Youth from The Honourable E. C. Manning, Premier of the Province of Alberta, November 17, 1965.



Similarly the Prime Minister of New Brunswick, The Honourable Louis J. Robichaud, has indicated through his Minister of Youth and Welfare, The Honourable William R. Duffie, that the Department:

"....was originated for the purpose of improving the opportunities for young people in this Province in the areas of formal education, sports, and recreation. This is promoted in several fields of activity through varying procedures, some of which are outlined as follows:

#### Financial Assistance for Students

This Division offers loans to a maximum amount of \$500 per academic year to students enrolled in post high school courses at approved universities or technical schools.

#### Recreation Councils

The Department has instituted a programme for encouraging community sports and recreation activities under which financial aid is made available to communities which have organized recreation councils conforming to standards set by the Department....All councils must be representative of the whole community, including churches, service clubs, associations, societies, etc. The Department supplies sample constitution for the guidance of communities interested in forming councils, and a representative of the Department visits these centres upon request to supply additional information and assistance, and to examine the facilities and plans of the organization. Close liaison must be maintained between each council and the Department. We now deal with approximately 120 councils throughout the province.

#### Guidance and Counselling Services

One of the most far-reaching programmes carried out by this Department is the guidance and counselling service for students who leave school prematurely.

A Youth Services Representative contacts these students to discuss their plans and problems. An appointment is then made with the guidance counsellor for testing, and/or counselling. Tests used are standard throughout the country."\*

The need for special consideration of Ontario's greatest resource, youth, is equally important. The progressive and dynamic approach that has been requested from all parts of Ontario is for a centralized provincial body which should have the authority and administrative responsibility equal to that of any other department of government.

In assessing the relative merits of a Provincial Youth Authority being invested in a commission or foundation and thus being attached to an existing provincial department, or alternatively being considered as a Department of Youth with its own Minister,

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\* Contained in a letter and enclosure from The Honourable William R. Duffie, Minister of Youth and Welfare, Province of New Brunswick, Directed to The Select Committee on Youth, November 19, 1965.





numbers of submissions alone can hardly be used as a prima facie case for either of the formats indicated. However, the Committee would submit that the following points are distinctly relevant to the thinking expressed in many submissions dealing with the principle of a Department of Youth with its own Minister. Commissions and foundations, which are essentially the same in that they are appendages of existing departments, are almost without exception, created to deal with matters peculiar to specific government departments. For example, the Alcoholism and Drug Addiction Research Foundation is closely related to the area of medicine and the Department of Health, and would seem most appropriately represented by medical personnel of that Department. Likewise, the Ontario Research Foundation finds itself under the Department of Economics and Development, a Department that derives much service from this Branch.

Seldom do commissions or foundations really cut across multiple departmental lines nor do they require the high degree of inter-departmental co-operation that would be required of a youth authority attached to an existing department that is not basically dedicated to total youth needs exclusively.

No commission or foundation can speak with equal voice with another department of government when such a body is, in fact, an appendage of a department. Such concerns as a youth body may have, must always be qualified by the department to which it is responsible, respecting policy and budgetary matters.

Any authority acting on behalf of youth, of necessity, must be invested in a department of its own so that young people's problems will not fall into areas of secondary importance to policies of other departments.

Where no direct responsibility to the electorate is defined, (i.e., a commission or branch attached to a department) as a rule, no clear accounting of either funds or services are adequately prescribed or scrutinized in the Legislature. In short, such a facility usually has a passport to obscurity.



A government Department of Youth can be expected to deal with many matters that are presently undertaken as an extra, and sometimes as an unrelated responsibility of a government department. It is hard to see the relationship that exists in such areas as the Athletic Commission, which deals with the disbursing of sports equipment to youth organizations throughout the province, but which comes under the Department of Labour. Many other anomalies such as this exist in areas that directly affect youth. It is hard to rationalize the administration of Federal-Provincial Physical Fitness funds under the Department of Education, other than in terms of expediency.

It is readily appreciated that a large department, such as Education, is already burdened with many heavy responsibilities of a purely formal educational nature which precludes the attention that should be paid to the importance of physical fitness of all young people in the province. Not enough money, for example, has been obtained from the Federal Physical Fitness Branch of the Department of Health and Welfare for purposes of aiding sports organizations and physical fitness projects, in spite of the fact that large sums of money were made available annually of Federal funds through agreements between the Ontario Department of Education and the Federal Department of Health and Welfare. The maximum amounts available have never been used since the Agreements were made for Ontario, in spite of great need.

It is felt that the area of physical fitness of youth in this province should fall under the jurisdiction of a Provincial Department of Youth. There is much to be desired in the areas of general fitness planning and attitudes towards physical fitness that pervades our youth. A Department of Youth should raise physical fitness standards and horizons of youth through co-operation with local youth agency councils and provide financial support where need is demonstrated.





Recreation is an important area that requires the full attention of a Department of Youth to obtain a uniform programme throughout the province. This important area has not the coverage or the uniform quality from municipality to municipality, either in respect to facilities, staff, or adequate leadership training. There are reasons to believe that this area of youth and adult activity could be better served by a Youth Department than by an appendage to the Department of Education.

A Youth Department's co-operation with the many departments of government dealing with youth is imperative. This is not only possible, but some reasonable expectations are that something can be achieved by such co-operation, because a Youth Department would have the status and responsibility, together with administrative and executive authority to deal with youth matters effectively and on a basis of equality with other departments of government, which is essential for effective action.

It would appear from many sections of the Committee's final report to be submitted at a later date, that there are substantial data to support the need for a Provincial Department of Youth in the areas of health, welfare, delinquency, professional counselling and guidance, education, employment opportunities, sports and the cultural arts, as well as those areas described above.

Committee Recommendations:

1. The Select Committee unanimously recommends formation of a separate Provincial Department of Youth with its own Cabinet Minister at the earliest convenience of the Legislature.
2. A Department of Youth should have the power to establish committees, select staff, and submit a budget in the accepted manner of any other department of government.
3. A Department of Youth should be responsible for the identification of gaps in youth services that are not being met by existing government departments or private youth agencies, and following up on such needs by seeking practical solutions for them. Such gaps presently include the need for half-way group homes, preventive delinquency programmes, widespread need for



residential and treatment facilities for emotionally disturbed children, sheltered workshops for the variously handicapped, and resources for deprived youth.

4. An advisory committee of Ontario youth (under age 25) should be selected on a regional basis by a Department of Youth which would be of assistance to the Department in dealing with certain areas of youth needs and concern.
5. A Department of Youth should provide much needed co-ordination and co-operation of youth services in other departments of government, as well as between private and voluntary youth-serving agencies and government, to effectively work out programmes for emotionally disturbed youth, for delinquent and "hard to reach" young people, "drop-outs" and those who have been "dropped" by our existing services, both government and private.
6. A Department of Youth should act on a consultant basis to departments of government and youth agencies throughout the province when requested, in the areas of research and programming for youth needs.
7. A Department of Youth should undertake a physical fitness policy and programme for youth throughout the province, with the exception of the formal physical education programmes within the Department of Education.
8. A Ministry of Youth should be responsible for the following areas:
  - (a) Administration of grants pertaining to youth under;
    - (i) Physical Fitness Agreements with the Federal Government;
    - (ii) Department of Agriculture grants for swimming pools, arenas, and community centres (Community Centres Act);
    - (iii) Athletic Commission (Department of Labour) grants for sports equipment to athletic organizations in the province.
  - (b) Provide assistance for the establishment of local youth agency councils for all community areas requesting such a facility.



- (c) The Department of Youth should establish close advisory and liaison connections with such community councils, and assist them financially when youth needs have been definitely established.
- (d) A Department of Youth should assist in promoting youth participation in community and provincial service projects under guidance of local youth agency councils.
- (e) The collecting and dissemination of youth and youth service information to social agencies and the public on a province-wide basis.
- (f) Promoting and financially assisting research in the many areas pertaining to youth, at both local and provincial levels.
- (g) The promotion of amateur sports through financial assistance and advisory service throughout Ontario.
- (h) Recreation for people of any age through a more positive use of neighbourhood resources, notably public and secondary school buildings and facilities supervised and organized by recreational personnel in collaboration with school authorities.
- (i) Responsibility for the following youth services, presently being administered by other government departments should come under the authority of a Provincial Department of Youth;
  - (1) Athletic Commission,
  - (2) Community Programmes Branch,
  - (3) Youth Branch, and
  - (4) Ontario Council for the Arts.
- (j) Research into the many areas of youth is an essential responsibility of a Department of Youth. Many of these areas cross several departmental lines of responsibility and require a co-ordinated and "total youth" directed inquiry into several areas, i.e., delinquency, multi-handicapped children, rehabilitation of children with a variety of social and health problems, the "drop-out", and the so-called unreached or alienated youth.





- (k) A Department of Youth should stimulate the cultural arts in the province by providing imaginative and practical programmes relating to art and music appreciation, and encourage creative artists in all art forms by annual awards for literature (i.e., best works in all literary forms, poetry, short stories, plays etc.), music (i.e., best orchestral, solo instrumental, and choral works), sculpture, visual art and other art forms.
- (l) The promotion of Canadian cultural arts through a broader programme by the Ontario Council for the Arts both financially and culturally is required, and should be supported by a Department of Youth.



SUMMARY

In spite of the extreme urgency respecting the need to complete this report in final form for the Legislature, it has not been possible to do so during this session. The present report is submitted in an endeavour to bring to the Members those sections of the final report that have been studied carefully and on the basis of the evidence reviewed, warranted submission to the Legislature without delay.

As indicated earlier, the final report will be completed for presentation to the Legislature in the opening days of the Centennial Year session (1967). The report will contain the detailed findings, deliberations and recommendations of the Committee on the subject matter of youth as defined in the terms of reference of this study, which are the areas of health, welfare, recreation, sports, cultural arts, employment opportunities and education. In addition the special areas of delinquency, professional counselling needs, and physical fitness will be dealt with in depth.

It is felt that all of the recommendations will be of interest and significance to the Members of this House, in ensuring that youth will have a wider participation in the life of the community.

Due to the circumstances outlined in the opening pages of this report, it is submitted that the re-appointment of the Select Committee will be necessary to attain the objectives set for it by the Legislature.

The above is faithfully submitted by the Members of the Select Committee on Youth.

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Keith BROWN, M.P.P.	(signed)
Keith E. BUTLER, M.P.P.	(signed)
J. Fred EDWARDS, M.P.P.	(signed)
Donald W. EWEN, M.P.P.	(signed)
Murray GAUNT, M.P.P.	(signed)
Stephen LEWIS, M.P.P.	(signed)
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COMMITTEE VISITATIONS

Appendix A

The Committee has undertaken the following visitations to meet with specialists and areas of special competence in almost every field of youth endeavour:

Ontario

July 21, 1964	Ontario Training School, Cobourg
July 21, 1964	Ontario Training School, Bowmanville
July 28, 1964	Ontario Training School (Girls), Lindsay
July 28, 1964	Ontario Camp Leadership Centre, (Girls) Bark Lake
July 29, 1964	Ontario Forest Ranger School, Dorset
August 25, 1964	Ontario Athletic Leadership Camp, (Boys) Lake Couchiching

November 16, 17, 1964 - The Committee visited the following special youth areas of St. Catharines:

St. Catharines Collegiate Institute  
and Vocational School

Retarded Children's School

A.R.C. Industries (Work Training  
Centre for retarded young people)

November 30, December 1, 1964 - The Committee visited the following youth areas of Windsor:

Junior Achievement Organization

Red Cross School (for physically  
handicapped children)

Western Institute of Technology

University of Windsor

Churchwood Metropolitan School for  
Retarded Children

Retarded Children's School (sheltered  
workshop for youths over 18)

King George Technical School

Teachers' College

Maryvale School (emotionally disturbed  
girls)

Alicia Mason School (Junior Vocational  
School)



December 7, 8, 1964 - The Kitchener Workshop included visitation to the following youth areas:

	Orthoscopic Society (a probation program for young first offenders)
	Sunnyside Senior Public School
	MacGregor Senior Public School
	St. Jerome's High School
	Margaret Avenue Senior Public School
	University of Waterloo
	Waterloo Collegiate Institute
	Kitchener Collegiate Institute
	Waterloo Lutheran University
	Stanley Park Senior Public School
	Lincoln Heights
	Waterloo Pool Rooms
	Dominion Electric Industries
	National Employment Service
	Bauers' Limited
	Rockway Mennonite High School
	Eastwood Collegiate Institute
	Forest Heights Collegiate Institute
August 10, 1965	Central Command Cadet Camp Camp Ipperwash
August 16, 1965	Junior Forest Ranger Camps at Grundy, George and McConnell Lakes
September 1, 1965	Metropolitan Toronto Juvenile & Family Court Judges Presiding: Judge V. L. Stewart, Senior Judge Judge T. Moore, Associate Senior Judge Judge N. Bennett Judge M. Chambers Judge W. T. Little Judge G. Sweeny
September 1, 1965	University Settlement House
September 1, 1965	Boys Home, Toronto
September 2, 1965	Metropolitan Toronto Magistrates Court (Court A) - Magistrate Joseph Addison
September 2, 1965	Warrendale (Residential treatment centre for emotionally disturbed)
September 2, 1965	Working Boys' Home, Toronto
November 30, 1965	Parkway Vocational School, Toronto



Appendix B

Outside Ontario

The Committee undertook three visitations outside of Ontario to meet with specialists in the areas of education, employment, recreation, health and welfare.

California - October 13-22, 1964

A trip to the State of California was arranged to coincide with the California Council on Children and Youth Conference held at Asilomar Conference Grounds, Pacific Grove, California. This visit gave the Committee an opportunity to formulate a broader perspective on youth and their needs than could be attained by restriction of such observations to our own provincial area exclusively. The Committee wishes to acknowledge the valuable assistance and co-operation of the State of California authorities, especially Mr. Roy C. Votaw, Assistant Director, California Youth Authority.

1. University of California (Los Angeles)
2. Los Angeles Junior College
3. Juvenile Hall, Oakland
4. San Mateo Junior College
5. Almedo Home for Girls
6. Arroyo Viejo (Recreation Centre) Oakland
7. Unemployment Services for Youth, Oakland
8. Oakland Police Force, Juvenile Division
9. Youth Opportunity Centre (East Los Angeles)
10. Los Guielucos School for Girls - San Francisco area
11. Neighbourhood House, Oakland
12. Ciros Boys' Camp
13. Department of Community Services, Los Angeles
14. California Youth Authority - Sacramento
15. Palo Alto Recreation and Community Centre
16. William F. James Boy's Ranch, Santa Clare
17. California Council on Children and Youth Conference, Pacific Grove
18. Sacramento Junior College
19. San Marin Junior College, Kempsville





20. Las Palmas School for Girls, Los Angeles
21. State Department of Motor Vehicles (Driving Education)  
Sacramento
22. Delinquent Control Institute, University of Southern  
California, Los Angeles
23. Camp Karl Holden, Los Angeles
24. Stanford University, Palo Alto

Flint, Michigan - October 27, 28, 29, 1965

The Committee visited Flint, Michigan to learn of the many aspects of the Community School Programme undertaken by the Flint Board of Education and the Mott Foundation. "The Lighted School House" is both a symbol and a fact in Flint, Michigan -- representing the community schools, open "around the clock -- around the year" for the use of the total community. Beginning with special concern for children, the Flint Program discovered the practical necessity of working with people of all ages -- since all the factors making a community affect the lives of children.

Flint Board of Education involves the community school as the medium through which to accomplish its objectives. In order to put "unity" in "community", there must be a centre of community activity -- just as the one-room school of yesterday's rural America once served. Flint's development of the community school adapts this appropriate traditional function of the school to the needs of a modern industry city.

The Committee wishes to express appreciation to Mr. Larry Briggs, co-ordinator of Conference and Visitations, and to the many persons responsible for facilitating the Committee's visitation to Flint.

Camp Kilmer, New Jersey - December 6, 7, 1965

The Committee visited Camp Kilmer, Edison, New Jersey, an urban Job Corps Centre for the training and rehabilitation of out-of-school unemployed youth. The Camp Kilmer experiment was unique in that a private corporation, the Federal Electric Company, contracted with the Federal Office of Economic Opportunity to operate an educational program, with a vocational emphasis. The Committee would like to acknowledge the assistance of officials of the Federal Electric Company, especially Mr. T. E. Leigh, Supervisor of the Visitors' Bureau, and Mr. H. Chadwick, Director of the Camp.



SUBMISSIONS HEARD IN ONTARIO CITIES

Appendix C

The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in St. Catharines, November 16th & 17th, 1964, under the auspices of the St. Catharines Workshop Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to Alderman Myles Lesson (Chairman), and to the following members of the St. Catharines Workshop Committee: Norm Moyler, Dalton Clark, C.C. Baker, James McGill, Craig Swayze, Don Nicholson.

The following groups participated with the Committee at the public community workshop:

1. National Secretary's Association
2. Board of Education
3. Thompson Products
4. Boy Scouts Association (St. Catharines Council)
5. English Club of St. Catharines
6. Niagara Youth Calvinist League
7. Gyrette Club
8. St. Thomas Anglican Young People
9. National Employment Service
10. Lions' Club
11. Lincoln 4-H Club
12. St. Catharines Police Department
13. St. Catharines & District Arts Council
14. St. Catharines Public Library
15. Winter Club of St. Catharines
16. Navy League of Canada
17. St. Paul's Street United Church
18. St. Catharines-Lincoln Health Unit
19. Girl Guides
20. St. Catharines Diocesan Council of Catholic Parent and Teachers' Association
21. Welfare Department
22. Young Men's Christian Association
23. 4-H Grape Club
24. St. Catharines Recreation Commission





25. Mennonite Church
26. St. Catharines Business College
27. Queen Street Baptist Church
28. Junior Chamber of Commerce
29. Women's Auxilliary
30. United Auto Workers of America Local 525
31. Catholic Women's League of Canada
32. Local Council of Women
33. Young Women's Christian Association
34. Ontario Federation of Home and School Association
35. University Women's Club
36. Canadian Association of Consumers
37. Handicap Association
38. Lightening Fastening Company Limited
39. Arts' Council
40. Home and School Council (Public Schools)
41. Conservative Women's Association
42. Municipal Chapter Imperial Daughters of the Empire
43. The St. Catharines Symphony Association



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Windsor, November 30th, 1964 & December 1st, 1964, under the auspices of the Windsor Workshop Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to Gerald W. Dawson, Chairman, and to the following members of the Windsor Workshop Committee: Dr. T.C. White, Peter Freel, Sgt. Herbert Boyd, Brian Turnbull.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public community workshop:

1. Alpha Kai Omega Fraternity
2. Mic Mac Club of Windsor
3. Junior Achievement
4. Department of Parks and Recreation
5. Windsor Council of Churches
6. Young Christian Students and Workers
7. May Court Club of Windsor
8. Windsor Group Therapy Project
9. Catholic Children's Aid Society
10. Board of Education
11. Windsor Public Library
12. Windsor Police Department
13. Township of Sandwich East
14. Youth Service Committee of the Social Planning Division of the United Community Service
15. Young Men's - Young Women's Christian Association
16. Central Committee Catholic Women's League
17. Girl Guides of Canada, Windsor Division
18. Rotary Club of Windsor
19. Willistead Art Gallery
20. Windsor Home and School Council

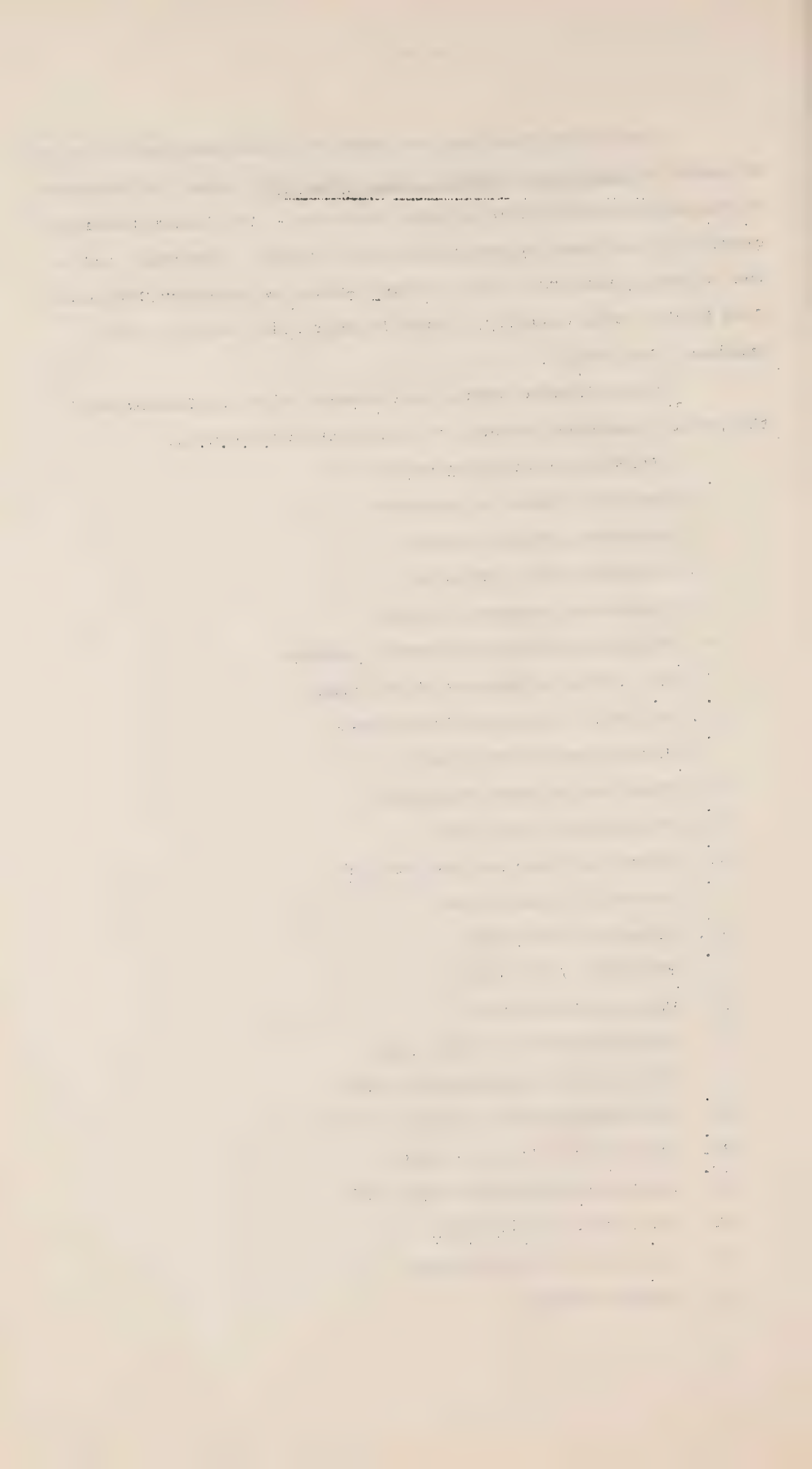


The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Kitchener, December 7th & 8th, 1964, under the auspices of the Kitchener-Waterloo Workshop Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to Joe Connell, Chairman, and to the following members of the Kitchener-Waterloo Workshop Committee: Fred Snyder, Doug Gellatly, Claude Brodeur, Bill Whiting, Fred Speckeen, Don Groff.

The following groups participated with the Committee at the public community workshop at the Kitchener Y.M.C.A.:

1. Kitchener Recreation Department
2. Waterloo Community Services
3. Kitchener Public Schools
4. Waterloo Public Schools
5. Elementary Separate Schools
6. Kitchener-Waterloo Secondary Schools
7. St. Jerome's Separate High School
8. St. Mary's Separate High School
9. Rockway Mennonite School
10. Waterloo Lutheran University
11. University of Waterloo
12. Kitchener-Waterloo Kiwanis Club
13. Kitchener Rotary Club
14. Waterloo Rotary Club
15. Kitchener Lions Club
16. Waterloo Lions Club
17. Kitchener-Waterloo Gyro Club
18. Kitchener-Waterloo Optimist Club
19. Kitchener-Waterloo Y's Men's Club
20. Pan Politae Y's Men's Club
21. Kitchener-Waterloo Sertoma Club
22. St. Jerome's University
23. St. Paul's United College
24. Renison College





25. Conrad Grebel College
26. Notre Dame College
27. Resurrection College
28. Kitchener-Waterloo Young Men's Christian Association
29. Kitchener-Waterloo Young Women's Christian Association
30. Catholic Youth Organization
31. B'Nai B'Rith
32. Canadian Legion, Branch 50
33. 48th Field Squadron
34. No. 12 Medical Company
35. Estonian Club
36. No. 137 Coy R.C.A.S.C.
37. 404 Wing Air Cadets
38. Waterloo County Children's Aid Society
39. Kitchener-Waterloo Family Service Bureau
40. Kitchener-Waterloo Catholic Social Services
41. Boy Scouts of Canada, Kitchener Council
42. Girl Guides
43. Juvenile Branch, Kitchener Police
44. Probation Officer
45. John Howard Society
46. Big Brother Association
47. Mental Health Clinic
48. Concordia Club
49. Transylvania Club
50. Kitchener-Waterloo Ministerial Association
51. Waterloo Deanery Anglican Clergy
52. Lutheran Ministerial Association
53. Kitchener-Waterloo Council of Chambers
54. Orthoscopic Society
55. Police Boys Athletic Association
56. Minor Hockey League



57. Minor Football
58. Minor Softball
59. Minor Lacrosse
60. Ontario Registered Music Teachers
61. Retarded Children's Association
62. National Employment Service
63. Kitchener Fire Department
64. Kitchener-Waterloo Little Theatre
65. Doon School of Fine Arts
66. Kitchener-Waterloo & District Home and School Council
67. Parent Teachers Association
68. Children's International Summer Villages
69. Waterloo Tennis Club
70. Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital Nursing School
71. St. Mary's Hospital Nursing School
72. Youth Workshop and Seminar (January 18, 1965)

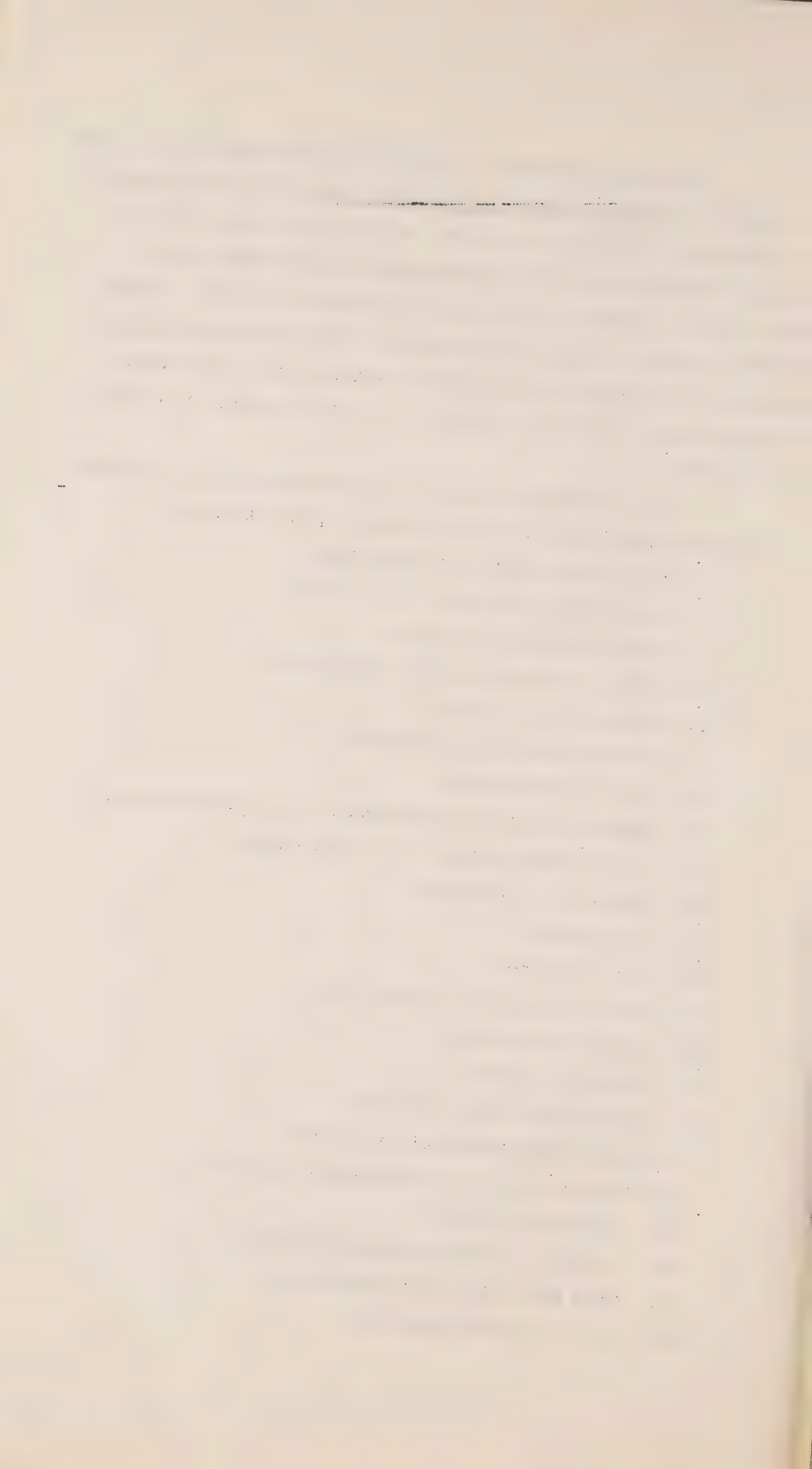




The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Sudbury, January 14th & 15th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Joseph Fabbro, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: George Kormos, General Chairman, Rev. Regimbal, Lionel Burgess, Maurice Regimbal, Bob Bateman, Gordon Whalen, Errol Gibson, Ellis Hazen, E. Wainwright, Bob Keir, O. Cecutti, Rev. A.L. Roblin, Controller G. Hartman.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing at the Sudbury Public Library:

1. United Steel Workers - Local 6500
2. Young Women's Christian Association
3. Sudbury Dolphin Scuba Club
4. Sudbury District Football Association
5. Sudbury Public Library
6. Ukrainian National Federation
7. Sudbury Youth Centre
8. Sudbury & District Association for Retarded Children
9. Sudbury Public School Principals Council
10. Children's Aid Society
11. Art's Guild
12. Club Montessori
13. Italian Society of Copper Cliff
14. Sudbury Canoe Club
15. Marymount College
16. Nickel Belt Ballet Company
17. Nickel Belt Badminton Association
18. Canadian Vocational Training - Program 5
19. Nickelteen Ski Club
20. St. Charles College Students' Council
21. Young Men's Christian Association
22. Youth of French Expression



23. Laurentian University
24. Jeunesse Musicale
25. Youth Centre
26. Oak Island Camp
27. Public School Teachers' Council
28. Sudbury Arts and Crafts Club
29. Sudbury Skating Club
30. Navy League
31. Blue Saints Drum Corps
32. Boy Scouts of Canada, Sudbury District Council
33. Civitas Christie
34. Les Petites Souers De L'Assumption
35. International Union of Mine, Mill & Smelter Workers (Canada)
36. Oanping Ski Runners
37. Catholic Youth Organization
38. Creighton Lively Conservation Club
39. Sudbury Association for the Deaf and Hard of Hearing
40. Nickel District Secondary School Athletic Association
41. Jeunesse Ouvriere Chretiene (Young Christian Workers)
42. A. Ernie J. Checkeris (Personal Submission)
43. Tony Demarco (Personal Submission)
44. Errol Gibson (Personal Submission)
45. Rev. Al Roblin (Personal Submission)
46. Rev. A. Regimbal (Personal Submission)
47. Bernard G. LeBlanc (Personal Submission)



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Hamilton, June 14th & 15th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor V. K. Copps, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: G.R. Force, Chairman, R.M. Collier, D.A.R. Pepper, P.W. Diebel, P. Traynor.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Hamilton East Kiwanis Boys' Club
2. Hamilton Recreation Department
3. National Employment Service
4. The Greater Hamilton Young Men's Christian Association
5. Young Women's Christian Association
6. Big Brother Association of Hamilton
7. Big Sister Association of Hamilton, Inc.
8. Canadian Girls In Training - Hamilton Board
9. Hamilton District Ladies' Basketball Association  
Hamilton Minor Ladies Basketball Association
10. Hamilton & District Youth Anonymous
11. Family Service Agency of Hamilton
12. United Electrical Radio & Machine Workers of America
13. Social Planning Council of Hamilton & District
14. John Howard Society of Hamilton
15. Boy Scouts of Canada - Hamilton District Council
16. Catholic Youth Organization
17. Wesley Centre Institution
18. Burlington Recreation Committee
19. Hamilton & District Labour Council
20. Hamilton Police Minor Athletic Association
21. Victorian Order of Nurses
22. Hamilton Public Library Board
23. Hamilton Handicap Club
24. Canadian Cancer Society





25. Young People Society "Immanuel"
26. The Optimist Club of Hamilton
27. The Hamilton Health Association
28. Hamilton Civic Hospitals
29. The Canadian Red Cross Society
30. Hamilton Aquatic Club
31. The Evangelical Lutheran Immigration & Service Centre
32. Women's Auxilliary
33. The Hamilton Department of Health



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Niagara Falls, June 16th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Robert F. Keighan, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: Arnold McAdorey, Lin. Titley, Ian McLeod, Bill Wilkerson, G. (Rae) Dahmer.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Welland and District Health Unit
2. Greater Niagara Big Sisters Association
3. Seventh Day Adventist Church
4. Mr. S. H. Howe (Personal Submission)
5. Niagara Falls Girls' Work Board
6. Niagara Deanery Holy Name Society Youth Committee
7. Young Women's Christian Association
8. Niagara Falls Separate School Board
9. Alpha Omega Hi-Y
10. Greater Niagara Home and School Council
11. Ontario Secondary School Teachers Federation - District 9
12. Greater Niagara Church Basketball Association
13. Stamford Centre Volunteer Firemen's Association
14. Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps
15. Greater Niagara Big Brothers Association Inc.
16. Niagara Frontier Youth for Christ
17. Mr. J. E. Youldon (Personal Submission)
18. Kinsmen Club of Niagara Falls
19. Gamma Sigma Fraternity International
20. The Boys' Club of Greater Niagara
21. Mr. F. Devlin (Personal Submission)
22. St. Davids United Church
23. Rev. L. Rooney (Personal Submission)



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Welland, June 17th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Allan Pietz, Mr. J. Ballantyne, Chairman of the Mayor's Committee on Youth and to his fellow Committee men.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Mr. Paul Arculas (Personal Submission)
2. The United Steelworkers of America
3. Welland High & Vocational School Staff
4. Mental Health Clinic, Welland County General Hospital
5. Staff and Members of All Peoples Industrial Parish
6. Les Guides Catholiques du Canada
7. Welland District Association for Retarded Incorporated
8. Welland Recreation Committee
9. National Council of Jewish Women of Canada
10. The Knights of Columbus, Council 2146
11. United Electrical Radio & Machine Workers of America
12. The Allie Spencer Chapter, Independent Order Daughters of the Empire
13. Girl Guides of Canada, Welland Division Council
14. Canadian Vocational Training
15. Welland Minor Baseball Association
16. The Principals of Separate Schools, Welland
17. Student Council, Welland High & Vocational School
18. Welland Public School Principals' Association
19. Welland Area Young Men's Christian Association & Young Women's Christian Association
20. Welland Eastdale Secondary School
21. Form 10H, Welland High & Vocational School
22. Welland County Children's Aid Society
23. Welland Canal Area Ministerial Association
24. Welland National Employment Service





25. Holy Trinity Church
26. The Salvation Army
27. District Council, Boy Scout Association
28. The Greater Welland Home and School Council
29. University Women's Club
30. Canadian Steelworkers Union, Atlas Division
31. Welland Public Library
32. The Welland Cius Club
33. Northwest Recreation & Activity Centre
34. The Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #4
35. Mr. A. Kuska (Personal Submission)
36. Mr. David A. Dick (Personal Submission)
37. Mr. F. W. Nygren (Personal Submission)



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in North Bay, July 12th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Cecil H. Hewitt, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: Rev. C. W. Cope, Very Rev. Monsignor B. F. Pappin, P. Blunt, J. W. Cripps, R. Barton, M. J. Whatmore, J. Weston, Nestor Prisco, Alderman C. Beattie, Alderman B. Kyle, Alderman N. Mallory.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in North Bay in the Juvenile Court House:

1. Les Compagnons Des Francs Loisirs
2. Mr. M. J. Curtis (Personal Submission)
3. Boy Scouts' Association, Nipissing District
4. North Bay & District Young Men's Christian Association
5. Mrs. L. Parker (Personal Submission)
6. Widdifield Secondary School
7. Catholic Youth Organization
8. The Children's Aid Society of the District of Nipissing.



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Timmins, July 13th, 1965, under the auspices of the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Leo Del Villano, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: Coun. J. A. Prince, Chairman, Austin Jelbert, Gerry Barkwell, Gregory Reynolds, Lionel Gauthier, Fred Purificati, Jack Roger.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Spruce Needles Golf Club
2. Porcupine Festival of Music
3. Timmins Separate School Board
4. Timmins Porcupine Chamber of Commerce
5. Campus "65"
6. Timmins High & Vocational School Concert Band
7. Notre Dame de Lourdes Parish
8. Timmins Safety Council
9. Timmins Majorettes
10. Drama Club of Timmins High & Vocational School
11. Mrs. Marcel Perrault (Personal Submission)
12. Laura Rycag, Student of Timmins High & Vocational School
13. The Timmins & District Horticultural Society
14. William Boychuk (Personal Submission)
15. Garth A. Brillinger (Personal Submission)
16. Timmins Jaycees
17. Senior Girls' Hi-Y of Timmins High & Vocational School
18. Mayor's Committee on Youth
19. Jack Abramson (Personal Submission)





The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Port Arthur & Fort William, July 15th, 1965, under the auspices of the Lakehead Youth Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor E. Reed of Fort William, and to His Worship Mayor S. Laskin of Port Arthur, and to the following members of the Lakehead Youth Committee: R. Wittenburg, Chairman, H. Brain, R. B. McCormack, W. Morgan, R. R. Tuokko.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in Port Arthur at the Prince Arthur Hotel:

1. Port Arthur - Fort William High School Students' Councils
2. The Port Arthur Youth Anonymous Group
3. Boy Scouts of Canada - Fort William and Port Arthur Districts
4. Louis L. Peltier, Jr. (Personal Submission) - Fort William
5. Dr. G. H. Morrison (Personal Submission) - Fort William
6. Amateur Athletic Union - Thunder Bay Region
7. Little League Baseball - Ontario District #3
8. Ron Knight (Personal Submission) - Port Arthur
9. The Christian Family Movement
10. Mrs. A. Ball (Personal Submission) - Geraldton, Ont.
11. Port Arthur Young Men's Christian Association & Young Women's Christian Association
12. Port Arthur Council of Clergy
13. Mr. Xavier Michon (Personal Submission) - Port Arthur
14. Recreation Departments of Keewatin & Kenora
15. Carpenters & Joiners Ladies Auxilliary Local 740 - Port Arthur
16. W. James Griffis, (Personal Submission) - Port Arthur
17. Fort William Rowing Club
18. Educational Needs of Youth in the Kenora area
19. The Addiction and Research Foundation - Fort William
20. The Juvenile and Family Court for the District of Thunder Bay
21. Fort William Ski Club Inc.
22. Study of Youth - Kenora



23. Red Lake Recreation Committee
24. Port Arthur Public Library Board
25. Children's Aid Society of Kenora
26. Ken-Teen-Ville, Kenora
27. Elks Lodge
28. William Davies (Personal Submission) - Fort William
29. North End Volunteer Recreation Association
30. Fort William Minor Hockey Association
31. The Salvation Army Lakehead Florence Booth Home for Unwed Mothers
32. Lakehead Society of Fine Arts
33. Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps
34. Lakehead Chess Club
35. TOC Alpha Movement
36. Terrace Bay Recreation Association
37. Board of Education - Port Arthur
38. Volunteer Pool Recreation Association
39. Red Rock Recreation Department
40. Citizens Committee - Kenora
41. Dick Wilson (Personal Submission) - Port Arthur



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Ottawa, September 6th & 7th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Don Reid, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: Maurice Egan, Chairman, Stuart Butts, George Cummings, Tom Daly, Daniel Forget, Melane Hotz, Nap Kapinsky, Martha Racine, W. M. Zimmerman.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Citizens' Committee on Children
2. Catholic Family Service
3. The Children's Aid Society of Ottawa
4. The Ottawa & District Association for Retarded Children
5. Sisters of Service
6. Ottawa Local Council of Women
7. Youth Services Bureau
8. The Elizabeth Fry Society of Ottawa
9. Ottawa Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Parent-Teacher Associations
10. The Ottawa Separate School Board
11. Ottawa Welfare Council
12. Ottawa Parents of the Deaf and Hard of Hearing Association
13. The Department of Public Welfare
14. Canadian Society for the Prevention of Crime (The Dominies)
15. Kiwanis Club of Manotick
16. Synod of the Diocese of Ottawa, Anglican Church of Canada
17. Youth Services Bureau (Forensic Clinic)
18. Ottawa & District Boys' Work Board
19. Ottawa Section National Council of Jewish Women
20. The Visiting Homemakers Association
21. John Howard Society of Ottawa
22. Catholic Youth Organization
23. The Ottawa Day Nursery
24. Hawthorne Community Association





25. Les Scouts Catholiques Du Canada
26. The Rideau Canoe Club Inc.
27. Centre for Human Relations and Community Studies
28. Babe Ruth Leagues
29. The Preschool Parent Centre
30. Adventure in Love
31. Ottawa Boys' Club
32. Boy Scouts of Canada, Ottawa District Council
33. Ottawa District Council
34. Federation De La Jeunesse Etudiante Catholique
35. The Canadian Council on Religion and the Homosexual
36. Key Club International
37. The Joan of Art Institute
38. Youth Liaison Section, Ottawa Police Department
39. Le Jeunesse Independante Catholique
40. The Italian Business & Professional Men's Association of Ottawa
41. Patro St. Vincent-De-Paul
42. Family Service Centre
43. Le Club Richelieu
44. Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association
45. Youth Services Bureau -  
1964-65 Leadership Training Planning Committee
46. Ottawa Public School Board
47. Ottawa Esperanto Society
48. The County of Carleton Law Association
49. Study-Action Group on Psychiatric Services to Courts
50. The School of Psychology & Education, University of Ottawa



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Brantford, September 13th, 1965, under the auspices of the Local Steering Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Dick Beckett, and to the following members of the Local Steering Committee: Wm. Campbell, Chairman, Ron Donaldson, Alderman Ken Hodges, Bert Beaumont.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in Brantford at the Central Presbyterian Church Hall:

1. The Children's Aid Society of Brant County
2. The Brantford & Brant County Council of Home and School Associations
3. Brantford Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association
4. Brantford Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association - Youth Group
5. Glenhyrst Arts Council
6. Mick Milligan (Personal Submission)
7. Brantford School of Instrumental Music
8. Brantford Football Association
9. Inter-School Council for the High School Red Cross
10. Summary of Public Meeting - Community Welfare Council of Brantford and Brant County
11. The Community Welfare Council of Brantford & Brant County

The following is a list of submissions presented to the Committee but not heard:

1. Brantford Minor Baseball Association
2. Brantford Police Department - Juvenile Bureau
3. Brantford Track & Field Club
4. Group of Youth Leaders
5. Mrs. M. Osborne (Personal Submission)
6. Brantford University Women's Club



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in London, September 14th & 15th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Gordon Stronach, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: Wm. Farquharson, Chairman, Madeleine Werner, John Halcrow, T. E. Albion, Terry Ferris, Walter Johnson, Robert Fallis, Wm. Pillsworth, Kenneth Burgess, James Casburn.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. The London Rescue Mission
2. Legion Memorial Boys' Club
3. The Ontario Vocational Centre
4. The London Board of Education
5. The London Youth Symphony Orchestra
6. (London "Y" Aquatic Club) Canadian Amateur Swimming Association
7. Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association
8. Boy Scouts of Canada, London District Council
9. The London & District Association for the Mentally Retarded
10. The London District Crippled Children's Treatment Centre
11. The Ontario Hospital
12. Byron Optimist Club
13. Mountsfield District Athletic Association
14. London Minor Soccer Association
15. Public Utilities Commission, Recreation Department
16. Sir Adam Beck Home & School Association
17. Jack Warwick (Personal Submission)
18. The London Committee on Young Offenders
19. London Public Library and Art Museum
20. Girl Guides of Canada, Middlesex Division
21. The Society of St. Vincent De Paul Youth Conference
22. London and Middlesex Church Boys' Work Board
23. The Canadian Dance Teachers Association
24. Young Offenders Committee, United Community Services



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Sarnia, September 16th, 1965, under the auspices of the Local Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor H. Ross, and to the following members of the Local Committee: G. N. Strickland, Chairman, Graham Reid, Kenneth Leckie, Geoff Lane, Betty Shute.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Ministerial Association & The Priests' Conference of London
2. Children's Aid Society
3. Steering Committee, Junior Achievement
4. Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Chirstian Association
5. Girl Guides of Canada, Lambton Division
6. Boy Scout Association, Sarnia District Council
7. Board of Parks and Recreation, City of Sarnia
8. Mr. Howard Watson (Personal Submission)
9. Students' Council, Sarnia Collegiate Institute & Technical School
10. Sarnia Social Service Bureau
11. Mr. Verne E. Whatley (Personal Submission)
12. Sarnia Police Department
13. Board of Parks & Recreation, City of Sarnia
14. Welfare Department, City of Sarnia
15. Sarnia Minor Athletic Association
16. Key Club, Sarnia Collegiate Institute & Technical School
17. Students' Council, St. Clair Secondary School
18. Students' Council, Central Collegiate
19. SO-CO-MO Association Bowling Committee, (Sombra-Courtwright-Moore Townships)
20. Students' Council, Northern Collegiate Institute
21. SO-CO-MO Minor Athletic Association (Sombra-Courtwright-Moore Townships)
22. M. M. Philpott (Personal Submission)
23. National Employment Office, City of Sarnia



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The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Peterborough, September 27th, 28th, 1965, under the auspices of the Local Co-ordinating Committee. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Gordon Powell, and to the following members of the Local Co-ordinating Committee: John deN. Kennedy, Chairman, Dr. Eldon P. Ray, Ken Robinson, Robert Porter, Laverne O'Connor, Rev. G. V. Gaughan, Leslie Reichardt.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. Preventative and Counselling Services Subcommittee
2. Peterborough & District Association for Retarded Children
3. A. R. White (Personal Submission)
4. Bruno Morawetz (Personal Submission)
5. Catholic Youth Organization
6. Education Subcommittee
7. Recreation Subcommittee
8. Culture Subcommittee
9. Employment Subcommittee
10. Detention Homes for Youth Subcommittee
11. Branch 452, Royal Canadian Legion
12. Rev. T. B. Asbell (Personal Submission)
13. Youth Committee of Local 524 United Electrical Radio & Machine Workers of America
14. The Children's Aid Society
15. John Howard Society, Peterborough Branch
16. Mrs. Hunter (Personal Submission)
17. Mr. David Delchaye (Personal Submission)
18. Mr. Bill Hamilton (Personal Submission)



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Oshawa, November 15th, 1965, under the auspices of the Citizen's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to Mr. Stewart R. Alger, Chairman, and to the following members of the Citizen's Committee on Youth: Thomas L. Wilson, Percy W. Manuel, Rev. Marshall Beriault, Wendell Brewster, Gordon Garrison, Gerry Gelllette, Ruth Higgins, Barnard Lewis, Harold McNeill, Bernard Muzeen.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. The Women's Welfare League of Oshawa
2. The Welfare Department of the City of Oshawa  
Re: Simcoe Hall Crippled Children's School  
& Treatment Centre
3. Children's Aid Society
4. The Social Planning Council of Oshawa
5. Juvenile & Family Court
6. Kingsway College
7. Oshawa Ministerial Association
8. Young Women's Christian Association
9. The Ontario Association for Children with  
Learning Disabilities
10. Oshawa Recreation Department
11. The Keystone Club
12. The Women's Welfare League of Oshawa  
Re: Simcoe Hall Settlement House
13. Band of the Ontario Regiment
14. Board of Education, Department of Physical, Health  
& Safety Education
15. C. M. Elliott (Personal Submission)
16. Branch 43, Royal Canadian Legion
17. Central Collegiate Institute
18. Anonymous Submission (Youth)
19. F. S. Wotton (Personal Submission)
20. Oshawa Folk Festival
21. The Get-Together Club



22. Girl Guides of Canada, Oshawa Division
23. Oshawa Health Department
24. The Oshawa Jaycees
25. McLaughlin Public Library
26. Oshawa Police Department
27. The Rotary Club of Oshawa
28. The Kiwanis Club of Oshawa
29. Education Committee, Chamber of Commerce of Oshawa
30. Robt R. Cornish (Personal Submission)
31. William McCarthy (Personal Submission)
32. Oshawa Boy Scouts





The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Kingston, November 16th, 1965, under the auspices of the Mayor's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor R. Fray, and to the following members of the Mayor's Committee on Youth: P. Swan, Chairman, Prof. F. L. Bartlett, W. Hamilton, Ald. K. Keyes, W. J. Shea, W. Kearney.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. The Association of Women Electors
2. Kingston Police Department
3. The Ontario Probation Service
4. Kingston's Juvenile and Family Court
5. John Howard Society of Kingston
6. The Church Athletic League
7. The Kingston Community Welfare Council
8. Kingston Young Men's Christian Association and Young Women's Christian Association
9. Kingston Recreation Committee
10. Kingston Public School Guidance Department
11. Kingston Parks & Property Department
12. Secondary School Students
13. Kingston and District Secondary School Teachers
14. Bringatine Incorporated
15. The Gallery Association of the Agnes Etherington Art Centre
16. Kingston Nursery Education Association
17. Kingston Ministerial Association
18. The Children's Aid Society of the City of Kingston and the County of Frontenac
19. Kingston Township Recreation Committee
20. Kingston and District Association for Retarded Children
21. Mr. & Mrs. M. J. Rutherford (Personal Submission)



The following is a list of submissions presented to the Committee but not heard:

1. Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps
2. Day Care Centre
3. Rotary-Kiwanis Minor Hockey
4. Kingston & District Minor Soccer Association
5. Kingston Track and Field Club
6. Kingston Art Classes
7. Kingston Separate School Board
8. Catholic Youth Organization
9. St. John Ambulance Brigade #82
10. The South Frontenac District Council Boy Scouts of Canada
11. Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E.
12. The Cataraqui Canoe Club
13. Kingscourt Little League
14. The Golden Horseshoe Club
15. Church of St. John the Apostle (Catholic)
16. No. 66 Cadet Nursing Division
17. Victorian Order of Nurses for Canada
18. Mr. Walter J. Holsgrove (Personal Submission)
19. City of Kingston Fire Department
20. Kingston Midget Baseball League
21. Kingston District Council, Boy Scouts of Canada
22. Students' Council Organization of Sydenham High School
23. Sunnyside Children's Centre
24. Kingston Collegiate & Vocational Institute
25. Mrs. P. W. Budgell (Personal Submission)



The Select Committee on Youth heard testimony on the needs of youth in Cornwall, November 17th, 1965, under the auspices of the Citizen's Committee on Youth. The Select Committee gratefully expresses appreciation to His Worship Mayor Elzear Emard and to the following members of the Citizen's Committee on Youth: Rev. R. Villeneuve, Chairman, Harold Shields, V. Burson, Magistrate P.C. Bergeron, F. Johnson, D. Donihee, J. Sturgeon, H. Gow.

The submissions listed below were presented to the Committee at the public hearing in the City Council Chambers:

1. The Citizen's Committee on Youth
2. Cornwall Parks & Recreation Committee
3. La Jeunesse Ouvriere Catholique (Young Christian Workers)
4. Children's Aid Society
5. Cornwall Public Library Board
6. Family Service Bureau
7. Cornwall Welfare Department
8. Royal Canadian Legion, Branch 297
9. St. Michael's Academy
10. Cornwall College Student Council
11. Cornwall College
12. St. Columban's Parish Centre
13. Pre-Clinical Students of St. Joseph's School of Nursing
14. Fr. H. M. Preece (Personal Submission)
15. Director for Religious Education, Diocese of Alexandria
16. Cornwall & District Figure Skating Club
17. Kiwanis Club
18. Les Scouts Catholiques Du Canada
19. Young Men's Christian Association and  
Young Women's Christian Association



SUBMISSIONS HEARD AT QUEEN'S PARK, TORONTO

The Committee has received delegations that have presented the following briefs with full discussion:

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| 1. July 20, 1964      | Community Programs Branch,<br>Ontario Department of Education         |
| 2. September 14, 1964 | Ontario Federation of Home and<br>School Associations                 |
| 3. September 14, 1964 | Consultation for Action on<br>Unreached Youth                         |
| 4. September 22, 1964 | Technological and Trades Training<br>Branch, Department of Education  |
| 5. September 28, 1964 | Alcoholism and Drug Addiction<br>Research Foundation                  |
| 6. September 29, 1964 | Young Women's Christian Association                                   |
| 7. October 6, 1964    | Evangelical Church of the Deaf  |
| 8. October 6, 1964    | Department of Agriculture<br>Extension Branch                         |
| 9. October 26, 1964   | St. Christopher House   |
| 10. October 26, 1964  | Central Neighbourhood House   |
| 11. October 27, 1964  | Indian-Eskimo Association of Canada                                   |
| 12. October 27, 1964  | United Nations Association in<br>Canada, Toronto Branch               |
| 13. November 2, 1964  | Toronto Brigantine Incorporated                                       |
| 14. November 2, 1964  | Counselling Foundation of Canada<br>and Y.M.C.A. Counselling Services |
| 15. November 9, 1964  | Rotary Club of Toronto  |
| 16. November 9, 1964  | Boy Scouts of Canada,<br>Provincial Council for Ontario               |
| 17. November 10, 1964 | Canadian Youth Hostels Association                                    |
| 18. November 23, 1964 | Elizabeth Fry Society   |
| 19. November 23, 1964 | Italian Community Education Centre<br>(COSTI)                         |
| 20. November 23, 1964 | Community College, Discussion Group                                   |
| 21. November 24, 1964 | Warrendale  |
| 22. November 24, 1964 | Boys' Village   |
| 23. December 14, 1964 | Canadian Association for Adult<br>Education                           |
| 24. December 14, 1964 | Metropolitan Toronto Children's Aid                                   |





25. December 15, 1964	Catholic Youth Organization
26. December 15, 1964	Federation of Anglers and Hunters
27. December 15, 1964	Ontario Association for Retarded Children
28. December 15, 1964	Canadian Scholarship Trust Foundation
29. December 28, 1964	The Federation of Ontario Naturalists
30. December 28, 1964	Canadian National Institute for the Blind
31. December 28, 1964	Township of Scarborough, Recreation and Parks Department
32. December 28, 1964	Canadian Bandmasters' Association
33. December 29, 1964	Canadian Mental Health Association, Ontario Division
34. December 29, 1964	Canadian Hearing Society
35. December 29, 1964	Navy League of Canada, Ontario Division
36. January 7, 1965	Ontario Recreation Association
37. January 7, 1965	Ontario Teachers' Federation
38. June 6, 1965	Ontario Physical Fitness Study Committee
39. June 28, 1965	Metropolitan Toronto Police Department, Youth Bureau
40. June 28, 1965	Ontario Welfare Council
41. June 28, 1965	Resource Rangers
42. June 28, 1965	Big Sister Association
43. June 28, 1965	Big Brother Movement of Toronto
44. June 29, 1965	Bernard Green, Walter Fox, Roderick Wessels, of the Faculty of Law of the University of Toronto
45. June 29, 1965	Parents Council for Special Education for Metropolitan Toronto
46. June 29, 1965	Metropolitan Educational Television Association
47. June 29, 1965	Ontario Federation of School Athletic Association
48. June 29, 1965	United Electrical, Radio, & Machine Workers of America
49. July 26, 1965	Ontario Association for Children with Learning Disabilities
50. July 26, 1965	Canadian Drum Corps Association
51. July 26, 1965	Greater Toronto Billiard Owners' Association



52.	July 27, 1965	Canadian Hemophillia Society, Ontario Chapter
53.	July 27, 1965	University Settlement House
54.	July 27, 1965	Hospital for Sick Children
55.	July 27, 1965	Heads of Guidance Departments in the Senior Secondary Schools in the Township of North York
56.	August 4, 1965	Communist Party of Canada, Ontario Committee
57.	August 4, 1965	Knights of the Round Table
58.	August 5, 1965	Ontario Council of Christian Education
59.	August 5, 1965	Grand Orange Lodge of Ontario West
60.	August 5, 1965	Federation of Catholic Parent-Teacher Associations
61.	August 5, 1965	Royal Life Saving Society of Canada
62.	August 6, 1965	Ontario Department of Labour
63.	August 6, 1965	Corporation of the Township of North York
64.	September 29, 1965	Junior Red Cross and Water Safety Committee
65.	September 29, 1965	Ontario Medical Association
66.	September 29, 1965	Ontario Department of Education
67.	September 29, 1965	Department of University Affairs
68.	September 30, 1965	Young Men's Christian Association
69.	September 30, 1965	Salvation Army - Education Department
70.	September 30, 1965	Corporation of the Township of York, Parks and Recreation Department
71.	September 30, 1965	Jewish Family & Child Service
72.	September 30, 1965	United Church of Canada
73.	October 18, 1965	Ontario Hockey Association
74.	October 18, 1965	Society of Directors of Municipal Recreation in Ontario
75.	October 18, 1965	Jeunesse Ouvriere Chretienne
76.	October 18, 1965	Board of Education Child Adjustment Services
77.	October 19, 1965	Ontario Camping Association
78.	October 19, 1965	National Employment Service
79.	October 19, 1965	Art Gallery of Toronto



80.	October 19, 1965	Friendly Project Committee
81.	October 20, 1965	Department of Reform Institutions
82.	October 20, 1965	The Citizenship Division, Department of the Provincial Secretary & Citizenship
83.	October 20, 1965	John Howard Society of Ontario
84.	November 9, 1965	Department of the Attorney General
85.	November 9, 1965	Ontario Welfare Department
86.	November 9, 1965	Boys' Home
87.	November 9, 1965	Ontario Provincial Police
88.	November 10, 1965	National Hockey League
89.	November 10, 1965	Art Institute of Ontario
90.	November 10, 1965	Ontario Department of Health
91.	November 10, 1965	Metropolitan Toronto Separate School Board
92.	November 29, 1965	International Institute of Metropolitan Toronto
93.	November 29, 1965	The Faculty of Music of the University of Toronto and Royal Conservatory of Music
94.	November 29, 1965	Young Christian Workers of Ontario
95.	November 29, 1965	B'Nai B'Rith Youth Organization, Southern Ontario Region
96.	November 29, 1965	Ontario Library Association
97.	November 30, 1965	Friends of Canadian-Polish Youth Inc.
98.	November 30, 1965	Social Planning Council of Metropolitan Toronto
99.	November 30, 1965	Ontario Lacrosse Association
100.	November 30, 1965	Health & Welfare Committee of the Youth Advisory Board
101.	December 1, 1965	Frontier College
102.	December 1, 1965	Toronto Educational Encouragement
103.	December 1, 1965	The Men's Physical Education Section of the Ontario Educational Association
104.	December 1, 1965	Vaughan Co-Operative Nursery School
*105.	November 24, 1965	The London Public Library and Art Museum
*106.	November 26, 1965	The Alcoholism & Drug Addiction Research Foundation





- \*107. December 3, 1965 Victoria Day Nursery
- \*108. December 9, 1965 Ontario Region of the Canadian Union of Students
- \*109. December 9, 1965 John XXIII Youth Guidance Centre
- \*110. January 10, 1966 Citizens Committee on Alienated Youth
- \*111. February 22, 1966 Canadian Keswick Youth Conference and Camps

Personal submissions presented at Queen's Park, Toronto,  
or forwarded to the Select Committee on Youth.

- 1. June, 1964 Mr. Maurice Egan, Director,  
Youth Services Bureau,  
Ottawa Welfare Council
- 2. June, 1964 His Honour V. Lorne Stewart, Sr. Judge,  
Metropolitan Toronto Juvenile & Family  
Court
- 3. June, 1964 Rev. J. Elton Davidge, Youth Secretary,  
The United Church of Canada
- 4. August, 1965 Miss M. P. Whelan - Penetang, Ontario
- 5. August, 1965 Mrs. E. Rutherford - Arden, Ontario
- 6. November, 1965 Mr. Denis W. Lewis - Oakville, Ontario
- 7. December, 1965 Mr. A. V. Godden - Don Mills, Ontario
- 8. December, 1965 Mrs. J. Gross - Toronto, Ontario
- 9. December, 1965 Mr. V. L. Scollen - Don Mills, Ontario
- 10. December, 1965 Mrs. A. Grassby - Sudbury, Ontario
- 11. January, 1966 Mrs. E. Hackett, Downsview, Ontario
- 12. January, 1966 Mr. George C. Boyer - Kincardine, Ontario

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